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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		09010-005009 (56446-20004.20)		
In re Application of Jay SHORT et al				
	Application Number 09/966,803	Filed September	Filed September 27, 2001	
	For: ENZYMES HAVING AMIDASE ACTIVITY AND METHODS OF USE THEREOF			
	Art Unit 1652	Examiner Delia M. Ra	amirez, Ph.D.	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.				
The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):				
One month (37 CFR 1.17	(a)(1))	\$		
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x Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is				
reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$				
A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.				
Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.				
The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.				
The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 03-1952				
I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. Fee Transmittal form (PTO/SB/17) is attached to this submission in duplicate.				
I am the applicant/inventor.				
assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).				
x attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 38,440				
attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).				
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February 12, 2004 Date Signature				
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NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below				
X Total of1 forms are submitted.				